



Federal Communications Commission
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Re: Application for Consent to Transfer, IB Docket No. 02-50

Dear Mr. Mutschelknaus and Ms. Griffin:

On September 10, 2002, we requested further information with respect to the applications filed by XO Communications, Forstmann Little and Telmex in this proceeding.¹ Specifically, we requested additional information about the Forstmann Little foreign limited partners in each of the Forstmann Little partnerships.² On September 13, 2002, counsel for Forstmann Little provided responses to two of the three items we requested.

Because the remaining information we requested about the Forstman Little foreign limited partners is critical to our review of the applications, we will stop the 180-day clock for Commission review of the applications. We have stopped the clock effective the day that we requested the information – September 10, 2002, day 172. We will restart the clock once the remaining foreign ownership information has been provided to us, and we have had an opportunity to review it to ensure that the information provided is sufficient to allow us to complete our review of the applications.

Sincerely,

James L. Ball, Chief
Policy Division

Cc: Scott Burnside, RCN Corporation
Cathleen A. Massey, XO Communications

¹ Letter to Brad Mutschelknaus and Joan M. Griffin, counsel for XO, and Wayne D. Johnsen, counsel for Forstmann Little & Co., from James L. Ball, FCC, dated September 10, 2002.

² Letter from Wayne D. Johnsen, counsel for Forstmann Little & Co., to Marlene H. Dortch, FCC, dated September 13, 2002.